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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO FOURTH OF JULY MESSAGE TO THE
PRESIDENT FROM SIERRA LEONE ACTING PRESIDENT S.I. KOROMA

1. WHITE HOUSE RECEIVED FOLLOWING TELEGRAM DIRECTLY FROM
ACTING PRESIDENT S.I. KOROMA: QUOTE: YOUR EXCELLENCY, ON
BEHALF OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE PRESIDENT, DR. SIAKA STEVENS,
THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE REPUBLIC OF SIERRA
LEONE, I AVAIL MYSELF OF THIS OPPORTUNITY TO CONGRATULATE
THE GOVERNMENT AND PEOPLE OF THE UNITED STATES ON THE
OCCASION OF YOUR INDEPENDENCE DAY. I WISH FOR YOUR
EXCELLENCY EVERY SUCCESS, GOOD HEALTH, AND ENTERTAIN
THE HOPE THAT THE BONDS OF FRIENDSHIP, MUTUAL UNDER-
STANDING BETWEEN OUR TWO COUNTRIES WILL BE FURTHER
STRENGTHENED. HIGHEST CONSIDERATION UNQUOTE.

2. THE FOLLOWING RESPONSE FROM PRESIDENT CARTER SHOULD
BE DELIVERED TO ACTING PRESIDENT KOROMA OR TO PRESIDENT
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STEVENS, AS APPROPRIATE: QUOTE: DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: ON
BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE, I WISH TO THANK YOU FOR
YOUR KIND MESSAGE AS WE CELEBRATE THE ANNIVERSARY OF OUR
INDEPENDENCE. WE VERY MUCH APPRECIATE YOUR THOUGHTFUL
EXPRESSION OF GOOD WISHES. SINCERELY, JIMMY CARTER.
UNQUOTE. NO RELEASE INTENDED, BUT NO OBJECTION IF
RECIPIENT WISHES TO DO SO. CHRISTOPHER

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